PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the benefits of education have shown brilliantly in the excellence of scientific and technical achievements of the forces of the United States in the recent war and have had much influence on bringing the war to a sudden conclusion favorable to us; and

WHEREAS, the United States government has recognized the value of education for the general economic and social welfare by providing educational benefits as its primary program of aid to returning war veterans and by the President of the United States recently issuing a proclamation for American Education Week; and

WHEREAS, the record of South Dakota along educational lines has always been and continues to be one of the outstanding state records of the entire Union;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, M Q SHARPE, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of November 11 to November 17, 1945, as

AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK IN SOUTH DAKOTA

and urge that our people generally and public officials and those interested in education especially continue their studies and conferences and conventions on the subject of further strengthening and improving our great public educational system in South Dakota and giving due encouragement and aid to our private educational systems as well.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 16th day of October, 1945.

M Q SHARPE
Governor

ATTEST:

MRS L M LARSEN
Secretary of State

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